

All Farms

Table 3. Farm Operators-Tenure and Characteristics: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	All farms			Negro operated farms		
	1969	1964	1959	1969	1964	1959
Farms and land in farms operated by-						
All farm operators . . . farms . . .	62 824	83 086	100 052	68	124	160
acres . . .	8 900 767	10 803 983	11 861 727	6 509	10 245	12 555
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	56 361	76 600	90 334	48	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	3 687 091	4 534 073	4 853 664	2 277	3 656	4 530
Full owners . . . farms . . .	45 011	59 680	73 703	59	97	120
acres . . .	5 331 476	6 416 922	7 417 229	4 525	6 788	8 445
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	39 050	53 737	64 832	39	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	1 821 048	2 312 441	2 645 882	1 261	1 705	3 125
Part owners . . . farms . . .	12 936	16 324	17 079	7	18	25
acres . . .	2 938 116	3 285 261	3 105 088	1 658	2 780	2 760
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	12 737	16 165	16 897	7	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	1 493 986	1 630 537	1 501 461	732	1 596	1 200
Tenants . . . farms . . .	4 877	6 781	8 730	2	8	15
acres . . .	631 175	897 865	1 070 924	326	477	1 350
Harvested cropland . . . farms . . .	4 574	6 415	8 098	2	(NA)	(NA)
acres . . .	372 057	499 899	595 115	284	240	205
Percent of tenancy . . .	7.7	8.2	8.7	2.9	6.5	9.4
Farm operators by age groups:						
Under 25 years . . .	1 300	1 272	1 617	-	(NA)	(NA)
25 to 34 years . . .	6 623	8 923	11 718	3	(NA)	(NA)
35 to 44 years . . .	13 389	18 545	22 278	16	(NA)	(NA)
45 to 54 years . . .	17 129	21 956	24 820	24	(NA)	(NA)
55 to 64 years . . .	14 382	17 679	20 379	11	(NA)	(NA)
65 years and over . . .	10 001	14 711	18 061	14	(NA)	(NA)
Average age . . .	50.5	50.9	50.6	53.2	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators by place of residence:						
On farm operated . . .	51 965	76 187	89 340	54	(NA)	(NA)
Not on farm operated . . .	5 824	4 490	4 595	5	(NA)	(NA)
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm . . .	35 451	41 229	50 718	43	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 49 days . . .	5 580	9 114	11 637	3	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99 days . . .	2 240	32 115	39 081	1	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199 days . . .	4 763			13	(NA)	(NA)
200 days and over . . .	22 868			26	(NA)	(NA)

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Table 4. Farm Income and Sales: 1969, 1964, and 1959

	1969	1964	1959
Number of farms by economic classes:			
Class 1a--Sales of \$100,000 and over . . .	953	486	1 697
Class 1b-- " \$40,000 to \$99,999 . . .	3 854	2 181	5 724
Class 2-- " \$20,000 to \$39,999 . . .	9 767	7 290	15 040
Class 3-- " \$10,000 to \$19,999 . . .	8 954	14 079	17 927
Class 4-- " \$5,000 to \$9,999 . . .	7 147	12 168	13 540
Class 5-- " \$2,500 to \$4,999 . . .	3 229	6 801	4 915
Class 6 (see text) . . .	15 907	20 888	29 951
Part time (see text) . . .	5 548	9 145	11 074
Part retirement (see text) . . .	69	91	181
Abnormal (see text) . . .			
Market value of all agricultural products sold (see text) . . . dollars . . .	945 427 056	790 645 184	712 534 531
Average per farm . . . dollars . . .	15 048	9 516	7 122
Crops including nursery products and hay . . . farms . . .	44 045	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	226 172 246	205 181 468	182 006 780
Forest products . . . farms . . .	3 013	5 183	5 307
dollars . . .	3 943 031	5 532 117	5 113 335
Livestock, poultry, and their products . . . farms . . .	47 944	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	715 311 779	578 135 350	525 414 416
Number of farms by value of agricultural products sold:			
\$1 to \$249 . . .	5 752	9 648	(NA)
\$250 to \$499 . . .	3 674	5 997	(NA)
\$500 to \$999 . . .	5 576	8 254	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,499 . . .	4 315	5 689	(NA)
\$1,500 to \$1,999 . . .	3 284	4 146	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,499 . . .	2 701	3 104	(NA)
\$2,500 and over . . .	37 522	46 248	(NA)
Farms with farm-related income from--			
Customwork and other agricultural services . . . farms . . .	6 321	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	6 270 752	(NA)	(NA)
Recreational services . . . farms . . .	762	771	(NA)
dollars . . .	1 054 801	1 796 249	(NA)
Government farm programs . . . farms . . .	19 814	(NA)	(NA)
dollars . . .	14 594 228	(NA)	(NA)

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